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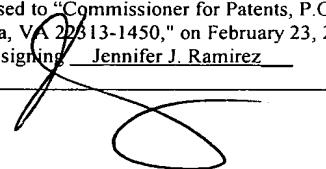
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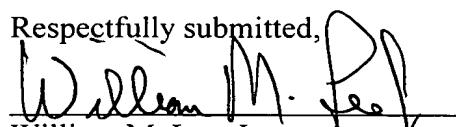
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an automatic extension of time of 3 months to respond to the Office Action of August 21, 2003. Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than February 23, 2004 (February 21, 2004 being a Saturday).

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17, the required fee of \$475 is attached hereto.

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